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RAJYA SABHA

**Categorization of Sick Industries**

**†1584. SHRI RAJIV RANJAN SINGH 'LALAN':  
SHRI RAM JETHMALANI:**

**Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRY AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES  
be pleased to state:**

**(a) whether Government have identified the industries which have now  
become sick;**

**(b) if so, the names of those industries;**

**(c) whether Government have categorized those industries into three  
separate categories viz., the industries which may be revived after undertaking  
some improvement schemes and industries which may better be closed down  
and the industries which may be allowed to be run in private sector or joint  
sector; and**

**(d) if so, the details of the industries so categorized by Government, category-  
wise?**

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY  
INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (DR. VALLABH BHAI RAMJI  
BHAI KATHIRIA):** (a) and (b) 66 sick CPSUs are registered with BIFR as on  
31.3.2001. Names of these CPSUs alongwith their status with BIFR as given  
in the Statement (*See* below).

**(c) and (d) Under the provisions of SICA, sick industries are referred to  
BIFR to decide about their viability/rehabilitation. For other loss making PSUs  
concerned administrative Ministries/ Departments explore options and devise  
the final course of action on case to case basis including revival or closure.  
Under the present policy of Government, disinvestment/joint venture formation  
is to be undertaken in non-strategic PSUs.**

**Statement**

***Names of CPSUs registered with BIFR as on 31.3.2001***

| Sl. No. | Case No. | Name of the Company |
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**REVIVAL SCHEME SANCTIONED**

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| 1. | 533/92 | Bengal Chemicals & Pharmaceuticals Ltd. |
| 2. | 538/92 | Bengal Immunity Ltd.                    |

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| Sl. No. | Case No. | Name of the Company                               |
|---------|----------|---|
| 3.      | 526/92   | Bharat Brakers & Valves Ltd.                      |
| 4.      | 501/92   | Bharat Pumps & Compressors Ltd.                   |
| 5.      | 525/92   | Bharat Refractories Ltd.                          |
| 6.      | 528/92   | Braithwaite & Co. Ltd.                            |
| 7.      | 508/94   | Burn Standard Company Ltd.                        |
| 8.      | 511/93   | Heavy Engineering Corp. Ltd.                      |
| 9.      | 509/93   | Instrumentation Ltd.                              |
| 10.     | 531/92   | National Instruments Ltd.                         |
| 11.     | 503/97   | North-Eastern Regional Agri. Marketing Corp. Ltd. |
| 12.     | 509/92   | Richardson & Cruddas (1972) Ltd.                  |
| 13.     | 507/92   | Triveni Structural Ltd.                           |
| 14.     | 512/92   | Vignyan Industries Ltd.                           |

**DRAFT SCHEME CIRCULATED**

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| 1. | 503/98 | Bharat Immunological & Biologicals Corp. Ltd. |
| 2. | 532/92 | Bharat Ophthalmic Glass Ltd.                  |
| 3. | 501/96 | Cement Corp. of India Ltd.                    |
| 4. | 523/92 | Tyre Corporation of India Ltd.                |

**WINDING UP NOTICE ISSUED**

|     |        |   |
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| 1.  | 515/92 | Fertilizer Corp. of India Ltd.                        |
| 2.  | 503/95 | Hindustan Photo Films Manufacturing Corp. Ltd.        |
| 3.  | 503/92 | Indian Drugs & Pharmaceuticals Ltd.                   |
| 4.  | 506/93 | National Jute Manufactures Corporation Ltd.           |
| 5.  | 534/92 | NTC (Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, Kerala and Mahe) Ltd. |
| 6.  | 501/94 | NTC (Delhi, Punjab and Rajasthan) Ltd.                |
| 7.  | 535/92 | NTC (Gujarat) Ltd.                                    |
| 8.  | 501/93 | NTC (Madhya Pradesh) Ltd.                             |
| 9.  | 536/92 | NTC (Maharashtra North) Ltd.                          |
| 10. | 505/93 | NTC (South Maharashtra) Ltd.                          |
| 11. | 504/93 | NTC (Uttar Pradesh) Ltd.                              |
| 12. | 503/93 | NTC (West Bengal, Assam, Bihar and Orissa) Ltd.       |
| 13. | 530/92 | U.P. Drugs & Pharmaceuticals Ltd.                     |

**UNDER ENQUIRY**

|    |        |                               |
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| 1. | 501/01 | Bharat Wagon & Engg. Co. Ltd. |
| 2. | 501/99 | Birds, Jute & Exports Ltd.    |

| Sl. No. | Case No. | Name of the Company                  |
|---------|----------|--------------------------------------|
| 3.      | 501/00   | Eastern Coalfields Ltd.              |
| 4.      | 501/97   | Hindustan Antibiotics Ltd.           |
| 5.      | 516/92   | Hindustan Fertilizer Corpn. Ltd.     |
| 6.      | 502/00   | Hindustan Salts Ltd.                 |
| 7.      | 502/99   | Hindustan Vegetable Oils Corpn. Ltd. |
| 8.      | 505/94   | Indian Iron & Steels Co. Ltd.        |
| 9.      | 502/98   | Nepa Ltd.                            |
| 10.     | 504/98   | Praga Tools Ltd.                     |
| 11.     | 503/99   | Pyrites, Phosphates & Chemicals Ltd. |

**FAILED & REOPEN**

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| 1. | 507/94 | Hindustan Fluorocarbons Limited          |
| 2. | 502/95 | Jessop & Co. Ltd.                        |
| 3. | 514/92 | Orissa Drugs & Chemicals Ltd.            |
| 4. | 521/92 | Projects & Development India Ltd.        |
| 5. | 506/94 | R. B. L. Ltd.                            |
| 6. | 529/92 | Smith Stanistreet & Pharmaceuticals Ltd. |
| 7. | 504/94 | Southern Pesticides Corporation Ltd.     |

**STAY ORDER BY COURT**

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| 1. | 510/92 | Mining & Allied Machinery Corpn. Ltd. |
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**WINDING UP RECOMMENDED**

|     |        |  |
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| 1.  | 505/92 | Bharat Gold Mines Ltd.                         |
| 2.  | 520/92 | Bharat Process & Mechanical Engineers Ltd.     |
| 3.  | 518/92 | British India Corporation Ltd.                 |
| 4.  | 527/92 | Cawnpore Textiles Ltd.                         |
| 5.  | 508/92 | Cycle Corporation of India Ltd.                |
| 6.  | 519/92 | Elgin Mills Company Ltd.                       |
| 7.  | 502/96 | Maharashtra Antibiotics & Pharmaceuticals Ltd. |
| 8.  | 522/92 | Mandya National Paper Mills Ltd.               |
| 9.  | 513/92 | National Bicycle Corporation of India Ltd.     |
| 10. | 506/92 | Tannery & Footwear Corpn. of India Ltd.        |
| 11. | 524/92 | Weighbird (India) Ltd.                         |

**DISMISSED AS NON MAINTAINABLE**

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| 1. | 504/97 | Manipur State Drugs & Pharmaceutical Ltd. |
| 2. | 502/92 | Nagaland Pulp & Paper Company Ltd.        |

| Sl. No.                                  | Case No. | Name of the Company     |
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| <b>DECLARED NO LONGER SICK</b>           |          |                         |
| 1.                                       | 517/92   | Biecco Lawrie Ltd.      |
| 2.                                       | 504/92   | Scooters India Ltd.     |
| <b>DROPPED NET WORTH BECOME POSITIVE</b> |          |                         |
| 1.                                       | 504/95   | Bharat Coking Coal Ltd. |

**Industries running in Loss**

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SHRI RAJIV RANJAN SINGH 'LALAN':

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that industries are running in the public sector in the country;
- (b) if so, the number of such industries during the year 2000-2001;
- (c) the total amount of capital invested therein at the end of March, 2001; and
- (d) the number of those industries, out of the same, which are running in loss for the last three years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (DR. VALLABHBHAI RAMJIBHAI KATHIRIA):

- (a) and (b) As per Public Enterprises Survey 1999-2000 which was laid in the Rajya Sabha on 27.2.2001 and is a published document, there were 240 Public Sector Undertaking CPSUs) in the country as on 31.3.2000, the period till which information is available.
- (c) Details of total investment made in the CPSUs as on 31.3.2000 is given in Statement-16 of Volume-I of P.E. Survey, 1999-2000.
- (d) 80 CPSUs have been incurring losses for the last three years ending as on 31.3.2000.

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